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Are your cellar steps rotten and apt at any time to cause some one a dangerous fall?

Why not "Safety First" and during these cold days utilize your time and labor and prevent accidents by building permanent concrete cellar stairs?

The greatest danger to concrete work in cold weather is through the use of frozen sand or stone. Use dry aggregates or thaw them before mixing.

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Gettysburg, Pa.

PUBLIC SALE

On Thursday, March 14, 1918.

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale on the above day and date at his present residence in Cumberland town township, situated about three miles south of Gettysburg, along the Emmitsburg road, his entire lot of stock and farming implements, described as follows: **6 Head of Horses and Mules.** No. 1, bay mare, 9 years old, good single line leader; No. 2, bay mare, 10 years old, good worker and driver; No. 3, bay mare, 13 years old, good single line leader; No. 4, brown mare, 14 years old, good worker and driver; Nos. 5 and 6, pair of mules, the one is a dark brown mule coming 4 years old, large and a good worker, the other is coming 3 years old, of good size and well broken; they will be sold as a pair or separately. **23 Head of Cattle.** 7 of this number are milk cows, 3 are heifers, 1 of which will be fresh in June. Three bulls; 2 stock bulls and 1 fit bull to be sold by the pound. **10 Sheep.** will weigh from 60 to 125 pounds apiece. **250 Laying Hens.** 75 of them are Barred Rocks, 175 single comb White Leghorns. **Wagons and Farming Implements** consisting of 2 Studebaker wagons, 3 1-4 in. spindles, 3 in. tread, all complete, spring wagon, falling-top buggy, 2 steighs, 1 is a Portland cutter made by Blocher, and the other is a basket sleigh, Cortland cart, 2 sets of hay carriages 18 feet long. Deering binder, wheel under tongue, 17 ft. cut, as good as new, Osborne mower, 5 ft. cut, Osborne hay rake, 10 ft. wide, 3 long plows, 2 are No. 30 Oliver, one is a Syracuse No. 501, 2 riding corn plows, the one is a Hensch & Dromgold, the other an Albright, 2 spring harrows, 1 an Osborne 25 tooth lever harrow, the other an 18 tooth Perry harrow with wooden frame, Superior corn planter with all attachments, has only been used to plant 45 acres, Thompson grass seeder, 16 ft. hopper, Spangler low down grain drill in good condition, grain fan, No. 3 Kemp manure spreader, 2 gas engines, Ottawa, 7 h.p., kerosene engine, mounted on truck, complete Quaker City feed mill and bagger, 20 in. circular saw and platform frame, grind-stone and frame, for hand or power, emery grinder for plow shears, Prairie State incubator, 240 egg capacity, as good as new, 2 portable brooder houses 10x12 ft., 4 hoveters as good as new, lot of feeders and fountains, No. 11 1-2 Fairbanks platform scales, grain bags, lot of forks, rakes, shovels, mattocks and picks, single, double and triple trees, log, butt, breast and cow chains. **Harness and Gears** consisting of 5 sets of cruppers, set of 3 in. breechbands, 2 sets of single harness, set of double harness, 3 sets of check lines, 2 4-horse lines, 3 lead reins, single lines and hitching straps, 6 Yankee bridles and collars, lot of flynets, etc. **Blacksmith Tools.** Champion bellows, Champion drill press, 90 lb. vise, 110 lb. steel faced anvil, screw plates and dies, tongs, hammers, etc. **Household Goods.** Double heater and pipe, complete, stone wagon, small coal stove, hair cloth parlor suit of 7 pieces, 12 ft. extension table, couch, rocking chairs, cot, lot of carpet, matting and oil cloth, doughtray, four 50 lb. milk cans, bucket strainer, large sized Enterprise sausage stuffer, 10 gal. cooker, Waterloo Boy 1 1/2 h.p. engine, washing machine and wringer, in good order, hand washer, and many other articles not herein mentioned. Terms: No under bidding, every article will be sold. A credit of ten months will be allowed on sums amounting to \$500, and over to purchasers who give their notes with approved security. Four per cent off for cash. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock a.m.

FOSTER BEARD,

Caldwell, Auct.
P. A. Miller, Clerk.

NOTICE

The first and final account of The Citizens' Trust Company of Gettysburg, trustee of fund for Maria A. Miller, under will of Daniel Baker, deceased, late of Hamilton township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, has been filed in my office and will be presented to an Orphans' Court of Adams County for confirmation absolute on March 4, 1918.

W. D. SHEELY,
Clerk O.C.

Auto Swept into Creek.**NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS.**

You are notified that the law requiring payment of dog tax this year is different from that of any past year—this year the constable will not come around to kill your dog and give a chance to pay your tax. This year it is the duty of constables and our duty to see that all persons who own dogs or allow dogs on their premises and who have not paid a dog tax are arrested and prosecuted and they will be fined not more than \$100 or sent to jail for not more than one month. We must do this or be prosecuted ourselves. The time for paying this tax was Jan. 15, but as this is a new law and not generally understood we will not have any one arrested before Feb. 15, 1918. It is not safe for you to wait that long as any one can have you arrested at any time. License tags can be procured from the County Treasurer by paying him for each male dog \$1.00, or \$2.00 for each female dog or by sending this amount plus 3 cents postage by mail together with the sex, age, breed, color of dog, name of previous owner, your assessment district and post office.

By order of the County Commissioners.

H. B. SLAGLE
H. J. MARCH
E. C. KEEFER

Attest:
G. ALLEN YOHE, Clerk.

RECEIVER'S SALE**VALUABLE NEW OXFORD PROPERTY.**

On Saturday, March 2, 1918.

CHARTER NOTICE.

The undersigned, receiver of the New Oxford Pure Feed Company a corporation, in pursuance of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, sitting in equity, will sell at public sale on the premises the valuable business property of the New Oxford Pure Feed Company, a corporation, located in the Borough of New Oxford, Adams County, Pa., fronting on Baltimore street of said borough and bounded on the one side by land of John S. Weaver and on the other by twenty foot alley. In addition to the lot fronting on Baltimore street there are two lots in the rear containing 225 perches of land and forming one complete tract and most conveniently located for warehouse and manufacturing purposes with the Western Maryland railroad passing through the tract and with switches on either side of the main tracks. Improved with large feed mill, the front part weatherboarded and brick back building, brick engine and boiler room, office building for the coal and lumber business, wagon scales, coal and lumber yard, one siding for the mill and one coal trestle, stable, and two lumber sheds. The mill is equipped with 10 horse power boiler and 72 horse power engine, Putnam Engine Co., and all connecting apparatus, also equipped with a Lisk grinding and shredding mill, belting, castings, etc. The last use of the mill was the manufacture of feed. The property could not be better situated for any manufacturing purpose.

At the same time will be sold personal property, roll top desk, flat top desk, chair, stove and pipe, 2 scales, 5 trucks, shovels, bags, 100 lb. glutten and other articles.

Sale to begin at 2 o'clock P. M. The boiler and engine will be offered separately and with the buildings. Terms will be made known on day of sale; possession can be had April 1st, 1918.

C. J. WEANER,
Receiver.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned, duly appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Adams Co., auditor to dispose of the matters in dispute and make distribution to the parties entitled to the balance as shown by the First and Final Account of William Hersh, assignee of H. V. Rahn, insolvent, hereby gives notice that he will sit in the performance of his duties at his office in Gettysburg in the Star & Sentinel Building, Baltimore St., on Wednesday, March 6th, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock A. M. All parties entitled, or claiming to be entitled, are notified to be present at that time and present their respective claims as creditors.

S. S. NEELY,
Auditor.

ELECTION NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Gettysburg Gas Company will be held at the office of John D. Keith, Esq., Gettysburg, Pa., on Monday, March 4, 1918, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock A. M., for the election of a President and Board of Managers of the Company to serve for the ensuing year, for voting for or against amendments of the by-laws of the company, and for the transaction of such other corporate business as may be legally brought before the meeting.

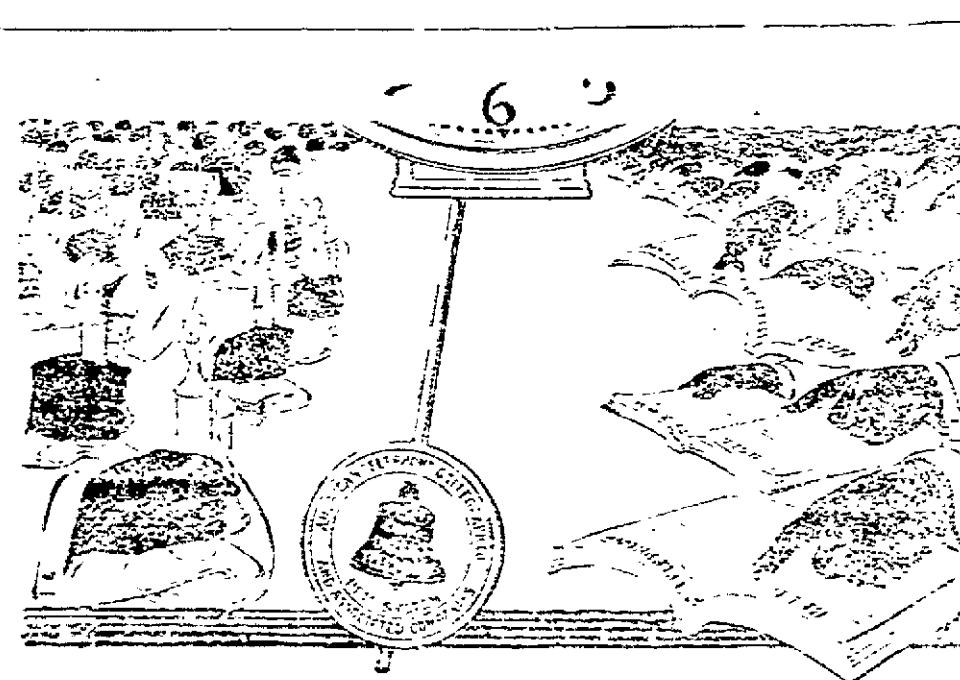
ELLISS S. LEWIS,
Secretary.

PUBLIC SALE**OF LUMBER AND WOOD**

On Monday, February 25, 1918.

On the Samuel Shull farm in Straban township, located near the York turnpike, about 5 1/2 miles from Gettysburg, the undersigned will sell the following lumber and wood: 5000 feet of solid oak boards, plank and scantling, all full edged; 2x4, 3x4, 4x4, from 8 to 16 feet long; 25 cords of oak and hickory slab wood, 12 inches long; 7 acres of uncut tops; also standing timber in lots to suit purchasers, tree tops, chips, chunks and edging. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock sharp. A credit of 3 months will be given to all purchasers giving their notes with approved security. All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash. No lumber to be removed until the sale is over.

J. A. TAWNEY,
Caldwell, Auct.
Miller, Clerk.

RAGS WANTED**As the Clock Ticks**

Three hundred and fifty telephone calls a second!

That is the average volume in the Bell System day and night, and at certain hours it is more than doubled.

The operating force must keep the "tracks" clear, ready for every cross-town or transcontinental call. In these unprecedented times the importance of each connection is magnified, as is the necessity for steady performance on the part of the operators.

They are counting no effort too great, and they are also counting on the public to appreciate this and to accord them deserved consideration at all times.

THE BELL TELEPHONE CO. OF PA.
F. W. STAHLHEBER, Local Manager,
YORK, PA.

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"THE HOME OF FINE CLOTHES"

AFTER Inventory we find a few broken lots of merchandise that will save you money, especially at the present day prices. Below are listed some of the Specials.

Shoes! Shoes!**Raincoats!**

You are all familiar with the leather market and we have some broken lots of shoes, styles not just up-to-date, at astonishing prices.

Raincoats! Raincoats—prepare for those rainy Spring days now—Men's and Ladies' at 10 PER CENT REDUCTION OFF OLD PRICES. Present prices are much higher.

Men's Shirts!

Broken lot of Men's Shirts only a few sizes at 69¢, worth \$1.50.

Ladies' Suits and Coats!

The styles are good and weights can be worn the year around. Styles not changing rapidly, it will pay you to make your purchase now at 25 PER CENT OFF REGULAR PRICES.

Sweaters! Sweaters!**Has Your Boy a Good Overcoat?**

Men's, Ladies' and Children's

SWEATERS

in all colors and sizes, at 10 PER CENT OFF THE REGULAR PRICE MARKED. Sweaters today are way up in price and this means quite a saving to you, buy now for next year.

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"THE HOME OF FINE CLOTHES"

"Printress Week" Mar. 11 to 16.

P. S.—Look for "Printress Week" advertisement later.

The proverbial Ground Hog saw his shadow on February 2nd, which the weather prophets say means more winter. The piercing March winds find your horse very much in the same condition as you yourself, less able to endure these winds without great suffering. You owe it to your faithful servant to provide him a good warm blanket to protect him from undue suffering.

After the largest sale of blankets in the history of our business we have a few left that we are offering at reduced prices which make them a good investment for horse owners, even if not used until another winter.

We have also a few fine robes at reduced prices, which considering scarcity and very much higher prices that will prevail next winter, constitute a great money saving proposition.

These are new, strictly first class goods. See them in our window.

Gettysburg Department Store



The Kind of Jewelry YOU WANT

is the guaranteed kind—the kind we carry always in stock. It's our business policy to carry only the jewelry that we can feel sure of—jewelry that, being guaranteed to us, we can guarantee to you.

No matter what you want in jewelry particularly if it is the nationally advertised kind, and guaranteed by Good Housekeeping Magazine, we have it. Come in and let us show you our complete line of reasonably-priced

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Watchmaker and Jeweler

Baltimore Street

Beautiful Bust and Shoulders
are possible if you will wear a scientifically constructed
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The dragging weight of an unconfined bust so stretches the supporting muscles that the contour of the figure is spoiled.
Put the bust back where it belongs, prevent the full bust from having the appearance of babies, eliminate the danger of dragging muscles and confine the flesh of the shoulder giving a graceful line to the entire upper body.

They are the daintiest and most serviceable garments imaginable—come in all materials and styles: Cross Back, Hook Front, Surplice, Bandeau, etc. Boned with "Walohn," the rustless boning—permitting washing without removal.

Have your dealer show you Bien Jolie Brassieres, if not stocked, we will gladly send him, prepaid, samples to show you.

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occasional slight stimulation. CARTER'S LITTLE
LIVER PILLS correct CONSTIPATION.

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Colorless or Pale Faces usually indicate the absence of iron in the blood, condition which will be greatly helped by Carter's Iron Pills

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Relieves the pains and cures the ailments that make babies cry and fret and crave sick and weak cheeks. Diarrhea; prevents Convulsions; cures Sour Stomach, Colic, Cramps, and all Stomach and Bowel Ailments of babies. Safest, purest and best medicine for babies. 25 cents at drug stores. Trial bottle FREE by mail of Drs. D. Fahrney & Son, Hagerstown, Md., if you mention the paper.

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Stationery, Writing Materials, Blank Books, Toilet Articles, Perfumes and Sachets.

An attractive line of Cards for all occasions.

The Peoples Drug Store

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Jesse Peters, late of the Estate of Mary A. Walter, deceased. County of Adams, State of Pennsylvania.—Letters testamentary on said letters of administration upon said estate having been granted to the estate of the above named deceased, all persons indebted thereunto the undersigned. All persons having claims or demands against the same, will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing in Gettysburg, Adams county, Pennsylvania.

J. L. BUTT

E. RUSSEL WILLS

Executors of the last will and testament of Mary A. Walter, deceased.

Or their Atty.

Butt & Butt, Esqs., Gettysburg, Pa.

Or their Atty.
JOHN D. KEITH, Esq.,
Gettysburg, Pa.

Read the COMPILER

Clean White Rags Wanted at this

YOU NEVER CAN TELL. by F.R.Paul



TRAVELED OVER APPIAN WAY

Paul and His Companions Evidently Used Famous Highway on Adventurous Journey to Rome.

"All roads lead to Rome," said a Latin proverb. When Paul and his companions, after the adventurous journey in which they suffered shipwreck on the island of Malta, landed in Italy they found brethren in Puteoli, now called Pozzuoli, near Naples, and "were desirous to tarry with them seven days;" and then the narrator of the journey says, "we went toward Rome."

Luke does not tell us by what road they traveled, but we can be sure that it was by the great Appian way, already three hundred years old, which was built by Appius Claudius, a Roman censor, from Rome to Capua, a point not very far from the port where the prisoners landed.

From Capua to Rome was a distance of 125 miles. Paul and his companions probably walked the whole distance, but were met at the Three Taverns, 17 miles from Rome, and at Appii Forum, or the market of Appius, ten miles from Rome, by delegations from the infant church in Rome.

This great highway was built of hewn stones laid in cement and averaged about 20 feet wide. Parts of the road are still in excellent preservation.

The Three Taverns is identified by some ruins, which are pointed out to the modern tourists as the remains of the station at which Paul was met by his loving brethren from Rome, who had received news of his coming—probably by the system of posts which penetrated to all parts of the empire and resembled the modern post office, and through the Acta Diurna, or public bulletins which were a prototype of the modern newspaper.—Christian Herald.

PREJUDICE LEADS TO WRONG

Warps Our Judgment and Breeds Injustice. Unkindness and Even Cruelty, Says Writer.

Prejudice is an insidious thing—it creeps into the soul unaware. It leads us to say and do wrong things; it warps our judgment and leads to injustice, unkindness and even cruelty, says a writer in the Milwaukee Journal. It paves the way for hatred and malice. In proportion as we learn to clear our minds of prejudice we become better men and women; we win friends and dissolve enmities; we are more worthy of respect and confidence. No one wants to be judged by false standards that prejudice sets up. Be wary of judging others in such light. Prejudice cramps the mind and the heart; it stands in the way of righteous growth of character.

It is wise to search your heart, and if you find prejudice in it, to strive to root it out wholly. It is better to be you of all men than to be the best. That is the challenge for us to be unswayed by prejudice. Seek to be just in all things, simple, true, and great. In all the relations of life be simple, unpretentious, helping another, not for his error but from your preoccupation. For the world living about this weakness is that it breeds injustice and unkindness and malice. It hurts innocent folk and makes no one happier.

Cool.

There had just been a railway collision in France—a terrible wreck. It was night-time, but there was light

enough to see something of the havoc and the tragedy. The prefect of the

department, summoned in haste, was already on the spot organizing the work of rescue. Suddenly from one of the first-class carriages which had stayed on the rails and somehow escaped being telescoped emerged a stout man still about half-asleep. He had as yet only a very misty notion of what had happened. He had, in fact, been so deeply immersed in slumber that he had felt hardly more than a slight shock. The first thing that he saw clearly was the prefect wearing his sash of office and busy attending to the wounded. He gave an exclamation of mild surprise. For the man half-asleep was also a prefect.

Almost as if he were passing the time of day with a colleague encountered by chance on the boulevards of Paris, he spoke. "Well, well," he said, "what are you doing here?"

Looking for Bigger Game.

Bobby and his sister, Ruth, were visiting in the country. One morning, accompanied by their nurse, they went for a walk in the fields. Ruth was much afraid of snakes, and Bobby much to her horror and disapproval boasted that he wasn't "scared of snakes," and if he saw one he'd kill it. The words were scarcely out of the little fellow's mouth when a small garden snake glided down the path before him. Bobby, as fast as his small feet would carry him, ran in the opposite direction. Ruth and the nurse called after him, reminding him of his boasts. Bobby, without stopping, called back "Oh, I'm not afraid of that snake. I'm just a-lookin' for a bigger one."

On Easy Conditions.

The widow sat beside the bedside of her dying friend.

"Now, Susan, when you go to heaven, will you tell John that I am longing to be with him?" she said.

"If I see your John I'll sure tell him," Susan said, "but if I don't I ain't n-goin' clickety-clackin' all over heaven lookin' for him."

Undiscovered Interior.

A magazine editor recently returned a story to an aspiring contributor.

Immediately the latter wrote an indignant letter to him, saying that before sending her manuscript she had slightly pasted together several of the inner pages. When the story was returned to her it was in its original condition. She had always suspected editors of neglecting their duties; now she was sure of their carelessness, for her own story had not been read. To all this, the much berated man made reply: "Dear Madam: At breakfast, when I find that an egg is bad, I do not have to eat the whole of it to make sure."—The Sunday Magazine.

The Unaadventurous.

At every corner handkerchiefs drop, fingers beckon, eyes besiege, and the last, the lonely, the rapturous, the mysterious, the perilous, changing glows of adventure are slipped into our fingers. But few of us are willing to hold and follow them. We are grown stiff with the rigidity of convention down our backs. We pass on and some day we come, at the end of a very dull life, to reflect that our romance has been a potted thing of a marriage or two, a satin rosette, kept in a safe deposit drawer, and a life-long feud with a steam radiator.—O. Henry in the "Green Door."

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"WAR PENS" HIGHLY VALUED

Those Used in Affixing Signatures to Peace Treaties Command a Big Price From Collectors.

The pens with which peace treaties are signed invariably fetch high prices, if they happen to find their way into the market, and there are many people who would be willing to draw a check for \$1,000 or more for the pen which will be used to sign the treaty of peace between the Balkan states and Turkey.

It is interesting to know that when it became public property that peace had been proclaimed between Russia and Japan pen manufacturers in all parts of the world sent supplies of their pens to those engaged in drawing up the treaty, hoping that the document would be completed by the agency of their wares. In order to avoid any unfair discrimination between the penmakers it was eventually decided to use quill pens for the signing of the treaty.

It was a quill pen that was used by the Spanish commissioners when they put their signatures to the treaty of peace drawn up after hostilities had ceased between this country and Spain. This particular pen, by the way, sold for \$125 some time afterward.

The pen used by the plenipotentiary in signing the memorable treaty of Paris read into the hands of the Emperor Ferdinand, of course, from its historical interest, this pen is of considerable value, for it is mounted in solid gold and encrusted with diamonds.

The English home secretary occasionally receives an application from a relic hunter for the pen with which he has signed the actual order of a reprieve. When Viscount Llandaff was home secretary during the reign of the late Queen Victoria, he received several hundred such applications.

Queen Victoria always retained possession of the pens that were used to set aside death sentences. One of these pens which was studded with jewels and worth several pounds, was presented by her majesty to Dame Alba, the vocalist.

Mme. Patti received a "reprieve pen" from ex-Queen Isabella of Spain, and for many years the diva carried it with her wherever she went.

Pens which have been used by famous authors often fetch high prices when put up for sale by auction. Charles Dickens used a quill pen to write part of "Hard Times," "Little Dorritt" and "Bleak House" at the Villa Les Montineaux, and this was sold some time ago for \$17.50.

Shame Makes One Forget.

Forgetfulness is a strange phenomenon. According to the modern psychologists, we are most apt to forget those things that we do not want to remember—especially those of which we are ashamed.

In an address on criminals who are on the border line of insanity, delivered recently before the Clinical Society of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, Dr. Leon Emile Duval told of many mentally unbalanced men who in their normal state could not remember disgraceful deeds they had done, and said this was to be explained on the basis that "it is the thing of which we are ashamed and which conflicts with the customs of society which is soonest relegated to the realm of the unconscious."

Tremendous Speed.

Fulminate of mercury, which is used as the original detonating charge in torpedoes, expands at a furious rate. A writer in the Illustrated World makes a comparison between this rate of expansion and an express train traveling at the rate of 60 miles an hour.

"Imagine," he says, "24,000 feet a second—instead of the 89 feet a second made by a mile-a-minute train—and you will know why fulminate of mercury going off in your hand will carry a finger with it and yet not burn your coat." That is the ultimate in speed.

His Excuse.

Owner—Here, what are you doing? Don't you know you're not allowed to take fish out of the water?

Angler (three hours without a bite)—I'm not taking them out; I'm feeding them.

CRYING FOR HELP.

Lots of it in Gettysburg But Daily Growing Less.

The kidneys often cry for help. Not another organ in the whole body more delicately constructed; Not one more important to health. The kidneys are the filters of the blood.

When they fail the blood becomes foul and poisonous.

There can be no health where there is poisoned blood.

Backache is one of the frequent indications of kidney trouble.

It is often the kidneys cry for help. Read it.

Read what Dean's Kidney Pills have done for overworked kidneys.

Read what Dean's have done for Gettysburg people.

Mrs. M. J. Hamilton, 9 Steinwehr Ave., Gettysburg, says: "Backache gave me much misery and frequently I had dizzy spells and headaches. My kidneys acted irregularly, and that made me weak. I bought Doan's Kidney Pills at the People's Drug Store and they gave me excellent relief and I never hesitate to speak highly of them."

Price 6c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Hamilton had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Farm Research Laboratory.

The Fruit Growers' Association of Adams county have secured one of the several field research laboratories that are being established in various parts of the state by State College. Quarters have been secured and a specialist on insects and a plant disease man is already at work. Just as soon as the weather becomes settled into its spring stride the specialists will get out into the fields and orchards and begin organizing their drives against all insects.

With Gettysburg as a center, the work will be extended into the adjoining counties. Fruit Growers in the York-Cumberland-Franklin section will be able to make use of the service. The laboratories and the specialists will not only help the Adams county fruit growers to increase production, but they will also help reduce the cost of production by aiding in cutting down the amount of sprays used. Chester J. Tyson, of Flora Dale, was largely instrumental in bringing the laboratory to Adams county.

Income Tax Extension.

Extension of the time for filing Income Tax Excess Profits returns from March 1 to April 1 has been announced by Internal Revenue Commissioner Roper. This ruling applies also to reports on payments of more than \$800 during the year to be made by employer and business enterprises, and covers both above and below \$3000, and corporation incomes. Delay in the preparation of blank forms and regulations was the principal cause for the postponement.

Forms have not yet been issued for excess profits returns of three classes—individual partnership and corporation; for income returns by trustees of fiduciaries, and for partnership in come returns. These are now promised for next week. All other forms have been distributed, including those for individual incomes of the classes above and below \$3000, corporation incomes, and reports on payments of more than \$800, or the so-called "information-at-the-source."

The extension of time to April 1 applies to returns by corporations doing business on a fiscal year basis. Originally these were required to report within 60 days after the end of their fiscal year. This was extended to February 1 and later to March 1.

Let's All Join in the Chorus.

Don't stop my paper, printer;
Don't strike my name off yet;
You know the times are stringent
And dollars hard to get;
But tug a little harder
Is what I mean to do.
And scrape enough together—
Enough for me and you.

I can't afford to drop it.
And I find it does n't pay
To do without a paper,
However others may,
I hate to ask my neighbors
To give me theirs on loan;
They don't just say, but mean it.
"Why don't you have your own?"

You can't tell how we miss it.
If it, by any fate,
Should happen not to reach us,
Or come a little late:
Then all is a hubbub.
And things go all awry:
And, printer, if you're married,
You'll know the reason why.

The children want those stories.
And wife is anxious, too.
At first to glance it over
And then to read it through;
And I read the editorials
And scan the local views.
And read the correspondence
And every bit of news.

Europe's Smallest State.

The centenary of the Napoleonic wars calls attention to the existence of the smallest state in Europe, the autonomous republic of Moresnet, on the boundary between Germany and Belgium. Moresnet has an area of barely one and one-quarter square miles and a population of 3,500. A boundary commission settling the frontier after the fall of Napoleon in 1814 was unable to agree upon the ownership of this tiny piece of land, and finally left the question for future settlement. Meanwhile it was to be administered jointly by two states. The joint administration soon resulted in an administration by neither state, and the community became self-governing under the protection of Prussia and Belgium. In 1842 the two guaranteeing countries gave the district its own independent administration. It has no courts, but litigants can choose between the Belgian and Prussian tribunals in beginning litigation which is subject to the law neither of Germany nor of Belgium, but of the ancient code Napoleon. On reaching military age, the youth of Moresnet have the choice of serving either Belgium or Germany.

Truth and Error.

Verily, there is nothing so true that the damps of error have not warped it. Verily, there is nothing so false that a sparkle of truth is not in it. For the enemy, the father of lies, the giant Upas of creation, can but pervert the good, but may not create the evil. He destroyeth, but cannot build; for he is not an antagonistic deity. Mighty in his stolen power, yet he is a creature and a subject; not a maker of abstract wrong, but a spoiler of concrete right. The fiend hath not a royal crown; he is but a prowling robber, suffered for some mysterious end to haunt the king's highway. And the keen sword he beareth once was a simple plowshare. His panoply of error is but a distortion of the truth. The sickle that once reaped righteousness, beaten from its useful serve, with ax, and spike, and bar, beareth the marauder's halberd. Seek not further. O man, to solve the dark riddle of sin; suffice it that thine own bad heart is to thee thine origin of evil—Martin Farquhar Tupper.

KEPT THEM MOVING**English Major Has Machine Gun Crew on the Jump.****About as Little Uncertainty in His Orders as There Are Polite Phrases in the Language He Employed in Issuing Them.**

I make my way through the thick brush at Camp Upson to a machine gun range, guided by the intermittent staccato chatter of a Colt and hoping that I'm not by any chance wandering on to the private reserve of any busy bullets. William Stevens McNutt writes in Collier's.

I come out of the woods on the rear of the gun position. Near a big campfire a dozen or more American officers are grouped around two machine guns listening to the instructions of an English major. The English officer is a short, spare, peppery veteran with a raspy voice that he can use for the same purpose that a mute skinner uses a blacksnake.

"Burr-wuff!" he shouts. That's as near as I can get to it phonetically. Two captains leap to their places by the machine gun. The one who sights and operates the piece throws himself flat on his back with head cradled on the knees of the man feeding. There is some slight delay and the English major breaks into song.

"Come, come! Carry on! What are we waiting for? You should have killed a hundred by now. What is it? What is it? My word! Not so slow. We're not having dinner, you know; we're killing Boches. What the blinky-blank's wrong now? Come, come! Carry on! Carry on!"

The gun speaks jarringly. One side of the barrel spits a stream of yellow cartridge cases over the breast of the operator holding the trigger. Three hundred yards distant the blade of bullets slices the ground before the target and throws up a little line of dust.

The major orders a fifty yard advance. The American officers dismount the piece, go forward at the double-quick and set it up once more. The operator pulls the trigger. Nothing happens. He fusses and tugs. Still no result. The English major calms himself and heaves a deep sigh. He looks at the gun crew like a man with no insurance viewing a total loss. "Oh, my eye!" he groans sadly. "How dead you'd have been by now! All right, leave off, leave off! Never mind."

He points to the man who carried the ammunition and who is standing behind the gun curiously watching the efforts of the crew to make it shoot.

"Next time don't stand up behind the gun. You stick up there like a dummy in a shop window. A body would think you were an advertisement for something. You're not trying to sell the gun to the Boches, you know. Standing there giving away the gun position! Next time find cover twenty paces to the right or left and try to act like a bit of mud. Yes!"

Had Been Through Hell.

Louis Raemaekers, the famous Dutch cartoonist, now in this country, whom the London Times has called "the only great genius brought out by the war," was unheard of before the war began. On August 1, 1914, he was living quietly with his family, contentedly painting the tulip fields, waterways, cattle and windmills of his native Holland. Four days later he drew the first cartoon, "Christendom After Twenty Centuries," of a series that was to reveal him as a champion of civilization and make his name a household word in every country. Raemaekers personally investigated the Belgian horror, and though a hundred of his early cartoons bear witness to the burning impression made upon his mind, he has only once brought himself to speak publicly of this experience. It was at a dinner given the artist at the Savage club, London, and pointing to the portraits of Peary, Scott, Nansen and Shackleton, Raemaekers said: "I, too, have been an explorer, gentlemen. I have explored a hell, and it was terror unspeakable." Raemaekers is in his forty-eighth year.

Weekly War Story.

From one of the training camps full of Ohio soldiers comes this absolutely veracious story:

The company cook went to the commanding officer and respectfully asked when the soldiers were to be supplied with gas masks. The officer answered that he did not know. A week later, the cook again expressed his desire for a gas mask. This time, the officer happened to have a sample of the latest contrivance of this nature, which will probably be used by our soldiers in the trenches. He showed it to the cook, who immediately asked to borrow it. Inquiry revealed that the cook's idea was to put the mask on before he tackled a big job of peeling onions.

Will Soon Have Sea Mastery.

E. G. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, told the 500 guests of the Allentown (Pa.) chamber of commerce at its banquet recently that the submarine destroyers which the Bethlehem Corporation will build for the government are more than all of the destroyers now in the world. Mr. Grace said he regarded the rapid construction of destroyers as the solution of the submarine menace. Bethlehem plants now employ 30,000 men as compared with 9,000 five years ago. Charles M. Schwab, who also spoke, said that the pay roll of the Bethlehem plants is now \$1,000,000 a year—Iron Age.

HARD TO CHEAT FATHER TIME**Wise Is the Man Who Appreciates Value of Punctuality, and Great Is His Reward.**

A young Kentuckian has lost a big fortune by being 20 minutes late in keeping a business engagement.

The cheerless old fellow with the scythe always gets all that is coming to him. And there is many a bad scar on our fortunes where he has had to prod us up to the mark.

Time is cheap, and we are apt to think we can filch it as we will. But it is always ourselves we rob, not time.

Maybe you can waste your own time by being late in keeping engagements and feel that the loss, if any, is your own affair. But it is also the affair of the man you keep waiting. You waste his time, too. If your time is worthless, maybe his is not. He may conclude that his time is worth more to him than yours.

In many cases it may not matter much. But one never knows until afterward whether it matters or not.

And through false politeness we are usually assured that it does not matter even when it does.

Only the idle and careless, whose time is of least value, can afford to waste it by looseness in keeping engagements.

It may be hard to acquire the fixed habit of always being on time, but it can be done, and it is worth while to do it.

Great business men have this habit. Men of great affairs, whose time is most completely taken up, are usually on time. It is they who know best the value of time and the importance of saving it by being prompt.—Christian Herald.

FOX, STATESMAN AND ORATOR**Brilliant Englishman Will Be Remembered as Firm Friend of American Independence.**

Charles James Fox, great English statesman, who did so much for American independence, entered parliament as a tory at nineteen, and was made lord of the admiralty at twenty-one. He incurred the lifelong enmity of George III by opposing a royal marriage bill, favored by the king, and at the king's instance he was dismissed from office. Thereupon he left the Tories and joined the Whig party, whose chief he soon became, leading them in their splendid opposition to Lord North and the war which ended in American independence.

Fox was kept out of office by the enmity of the king during 22 of the best years of his life (Lord Grenville finally refused to form a cabinet without him), but managed in spite of this to fight valiantly for many good measures, including Indian government reform, a better libel law and the abolition of the slave trade. He risked his life rising from a sick bed to speak for the latter.

Gambling, which his father taught him as a child, was Fox's besetting sin. He lost thousands by it, but when in 1792 his friends paid his debts and settled an annuity upon him, he never touched a card again.

Fox was one of the greatest orators who ever spoke in the British parliament. He is said to have possessed "above all moderns that union of reason, simplicity and vehemence which formed the prince of orators."

Interesting Old Egyptian Letters.

Letter writing, fortunately, was much practiced in ancient Egypt, and there are quantities of letters between persons of all degrees of education and written on all sorts of occasions. We may read, for instance, the encouragement and good advice sent by parents to absent sons, or may recognize familiar types of character in the answering effusions of children to parents—the spoilt boy who scolds his father for having left him at home instead of taking him to the capital: the well-conducted youth, who complacently assures his relatives that he is getting on very well, combining study with recreation, and the prodigal son, who writes to beg his mother's forgiveness and confesses that he has brought himself to destitution.

Canton a City of Canals.

At Canton, the oldest city in southern China, the river is, in effect, canalized, and the shipping is heavy and varied. The water is deep enough for ships of 1,000 tons burden as far as the city, but foreign boats come up only as far as Wimpen, nine miles to the southeast, where there are extensive docks. Here the loading and unloading is done by native boats. Vessels of deep draft lie outside the bar. Forty miles below is the River Tigris (Mouth of the Tiger), and the water widens into a wide estuary. Water divides the old from the new town and surrounds the island and the suburbs, where the Europeans live, so that Canton has an abundance of picturesque water life, including a big houseboat population.

Spiders Ride on Back of Flies.

There is an aspect of spider and fly relations which fabulists and naturalists alike have overlooked. A correspondent who has brought the microscope to bear on many houseflies finds that the parasite upon that hateful insect is often an immature spider. Too weak yet to spin its web it makes the fly its winged palfrey, and courses from place to place at the will of its captive; either until Pegasus perishes naturally, or presumably until the rider is able to make a meal of his charger. This, if confirmed, seems to carry us a step further in the study of parasitism and commensalism.—London Chronicle.

FLIM SPREAD OVER WATER**Thin Sheet on Surface Has Properties That Are Very Like Those of India Rubber.**

It seems not to be generally understood that the surface of all water is covered by a film of the water itself, which in its action is not unlike that of a thin sheet of India rubber, says Edward Bigelow, the scout naturalist, in Boys' Life. To comprehend this one must imagine the rubber to be so thin as to be transparent. The surface of the water itself is elastic and under tension, so that a needle, though heavier than the water, may be floated on the surface.

Several interesting experiments may be made with the elasticity of this film. One of the best is to place two slender splinters of wood side by side on the water. Now drop a little alcohol between the splinters. This alcohol will immediately break the surface film between the splinters, and the pulling force of the remaining film, since there is nothing between them to hold them, will cause the splinters instantly to fly apart.

Another interesting experiment is to whittle a thin, slender splinter, pointed at one end somewhat like a boat. Place a tiny bit of gum camphor on the rear of this splinter and the gum will destroy the surface film so that there will be no pull in the rear. As there is a pull in the front not balanced by one in the rear, the tiny boat will run forward as rapidly as the camphor can dissolve the film in the rear.

Some interesting little "magic" tricks might be developed from these experiments which would surprise and instruct your friends.

ODIUM ATTACHED TO CARD**Numerous Explanations as to Why the Nine of Diamonds Is Called the Curse of Scotland.**

While the nine spot of spades is looked upon as a fatal and vindictive card in the trying of fortunes, it is the nine of diamonds that bears the odium of being called the curse of Scotland. All writers agree on the card, but as to the cause of the stigma attached to it there is a diversity of opinion and it is difficult to decide which of the many theories is correct. One theory is that after the Culloden struggle the Duke of Cumberland picked up a nine of diamonds from the floor and wrote on it an order for the death of the insurgents. To clinch this argument, it is declared that the identical card is preserved at Stirling castle, Aberdeenshire. Another explanation was that a Scotch member of parliament, a part of whose family arms was the nine of diamonds, once voted for a malt tax for his country. Still another view is that diamonds represent royalty and every ninth king of Scotland having been a tyrant and a curse furnishes the key to the mystery. One writer explains it by stating that the last queen of Scotland taxed her subjects heavily to pay for nine jewels for her own adornment. The "last queen of Scotland" in her own right was poor, pretty Marie Stuart, against whose memory has been tossed the mud of countless accusations by her bitter critics, and she might as well bear the nine of diamonds slander along with the others.

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"Flapdoodle" Universal.

Roosters have used it simply and ingeniously, but by mankind it has been raised almost to the level of an art and it has been extensively used from long before the days of Solomon for purposes of evasion, promotion, argument and self-advancement. There is scarcely a department of human activity that is free from it. It is a rhetorical device that is liberally and shamelessly used by the lover, the business man, the professional man, the society woman, the critic and the craftsman, and even the clergyman has been known to descend to its employment upon occasion. The routine evidences of flapdoodle in ordinary intercourse are monotonous, but in its most highly cultivated forms it is found in art, literature, criticism, politics and statecraft. It is the most common commodity in the world, and about the most serious.

Not All Love Silence.

Dr. A. A. Brill of New York tells of a musical genius who complained of insomnia, which he maintained to be due to street noises in the city and cricket and night calls in the country. Many persons who become hypersensitive to noise blame their troubles on the sounds. This very patient could listen with rapture to music and yet believe that noises kept him awake!

Some of the greatest apostles of silence have shown themselves in need of noise. For example, John Stuart Mill, who was an enemy of all noise, hired a boy, according to Doctor Brill, to beat a drum next to the room in which he worked in order to stimulate his thoughts.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of John C. Lower, deceased, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, County of Adams, State of Pennsylvania. Letters of administration with the will annexed on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to F. MARK BREARLY, Administrator c. t. a., Gettysburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Letters of administration on the estate of Francis R. Berry, late of the Township of Reading, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated.

CHESTER O. CHRONISTER, Administrator, Hampton, Pa.

WE WANT a man or woman in our town who are not already represented, to introduce BROWN HERB TABLETS guaranteed remedy for Constipation, Indigestion and Dyspepsia. Over 100% profit. Easy seller, repeat orders. Permanent income. Write for pamphlets, FREE SAMPLES and terms to BROWN HERB CO., 66 Murray St., New York City.

Keep Bees and Need No Sugar.

The United States department of agriculture has started a campaign to stimulate bee-keeping, this as a real war economy measure, for honey can take the place of sugar, and there are absolutely unlimited supplies of honey in the flowers that grow wild all over the land.

Bee-keeping is very easy, and any man who goes about it carefully and with such elementary instructions as he can get from the department of agriculture can have a good crop of honey the first year and be able to laugh at the scarcity of sugar, besides making a profit by the sale of the product of his bees.

Undetected.

"Now I sneak on as a burglar. The stage is dark. I must not be discovered."

SPRING SALE LIST.**Saturday, March 2.**

Harry Snyder—Menallen—Slaybaugh

Wm. P. Baker—Hamilton.

Monday, March 4.

Emory Cleveland—Straban—Thompson.

Jacob Rice—near New Oxford.

Tuesday, March 5.

William Becker—Mt. Pleasant—

Thompson.

David Ogden—Menallen—Slaybaugh.

Wednesday, March 6.

Jacob M. Miller—near Sell's Station.

C. E. Weikert—Hamiltonban—Mc-

Dermitt.

E. A. Walker—Tyrone—Thompson.

Asper Bros.—Menallen—Slaybaugh.

Thursday, March 7.

Samuel T. Fair Estate—Latimore—

Harbold.

H. B. Slonaker—Hamiltonban—

Crouse.

McDonnell Bros.—Arendtsville—Tay-

lor.

John Harner—Mt. Joy—Thompson.

N. Z. Reinecker—Huntington—Slay-

baugh.

Friday, March 8.

P. J. Schriver—Huntington—Thompson.

Mrs. M. R. Snyder—Mt. Joy—Smith.

C. A. Feser—Union—Thompson.

John E. Krug—Oxford.

Saturday, March 9.

G. W. Bowers—Mt. Joy.

Geo. Groscoft—Straban—Thompson.

W. E. Bossinger—Reading.

William A. Kline—Five Points—

Reading.

Samuel Ziegler—Hamilton.

Monday, March 11.

M. O. Stull—Cumberland.

A. J. Thompson—near East Berlin.

Walter Bream—Butler—Slaybaugh.

Tuesday, March 12.

Albert J. Bair—Union.

John Herring—Liberty—McDermitt.

Isaac Harry & Son—Mt. Joy.

Mrs. M. E. Group—Tyrone—Slay-

baugh.

C. D. Thomas—Cumberland—Cald-

well.

P. E. Conforti—near Bermudian.

I. V. Noel—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

Wednesday, March 13.

P. C. J. Brosserman—Reading.

E. W. Group—Straban—Trimmer.

J. Z. Chronister—York Springs—

Slaybaugh.

M. A. L. Trustic—near Littlestown—

Thompson.

Peter Trostie—Franklin—Slaybaugh.

Thursday, March 14.

Corwin Feser—Germany—Thompson.

Samuel Black—Menallen—Taylor.

C. H. Feser—Germany—Thompson.

Foster Beard—Cumberland—Cald-

well.

J. L. Chronister—near York Springs—

Slaybaugh.

Friday, March 15.

Samuel Bair—Cumberland.

Rev. A. Stewart Hartman—Mt. Joy—

Thompson.

Harry Rouzing—Menallen—Slay-

baugh.

Saturday, March 16.

George Wherry—Germany.

Eric D. Shafer—Tyrone—Slaybaugh.

Jeremiah Taylor—Menallen—Taylor.

Smitz & Mehring—Mt. Pleasant—

Thompson.

Monday, March 18.

M. L. Fraim—Center Mills—Slay-

baugh.

Frank T. Miller—Mt. Pleasant—

Thompson.

Tuesday, March 19.

Fritz R. Feiser—Reading.

Cas. D. Sell—Germany.

William Lady—Butler—Taylor.

F. A. Coulson—Latimore—Slaybaugh.

D. C. Shambrook—Mt. Pleasant—

Thompson.

Harry Tieman—near Oxford.

Wednesday, March 20.

R. W. Rouzer—Butler.

John V. Eyler—Mt. Joy—Collins.

William Stover—Franklin—Taylor.

A. H. Sherman—Union.

George Groscoft—Straban—Thompson.

Thursday, March 21.

D. E. Brown—Reading.

A. U. Apper—Mt. Joy—Lightner.

Formwall & Reinecker—Union.

Patterson Bros.—Emmitsburg—

Crouse & Smith.

Elmer J. Aitland—Mt. Pleasant—

Thompson.

George Hartman—Menallen—Taylor.

John Fahnestock—Huntington—Slay-

baugh.

Friday, March 22.

W. J. Beamer—Mt. Pleasant—Tros-

tic.

G. C. Hoover—near Hampton.

Moses M. Black Estate—Menallen—

Taylor.

Wm. F. Allison—Hamiltonban.

Geo. Bascheart—Gettysburg—Light-

ner.

G. A. Eckenrode—Tyrone—Thompson.

Saturday, March 23.

E. R. Stavely—Germany.

Cris Guise—Huntington.

Paul Zepp—Tyrone—Slaybaugh.

Ellis Schwartz—Mt. Joy—Thompson.

Monday, March 25.

W. A. McIlhenny—Straban—Thompson.

John Glass—near Oxford.

Tuesday, March 26.

J. E. Cleveland—Straban—Thompson.

Hiram Heller—Menallen—Slaybaugh.

Wednesday, March 27.

Taker Lerew—Hamilton.

Leo Tipton—Cumberland—McDer-

mitt.

John Bream—Highland—Anthony.

Ed. Trostie—Straban—Thompson.

Thursday, March 28.

J. C. Brown—East Berlin.

H. H. Diehl—New Oxford—Thompson.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all legatees and other persons concerned that the Administration Accounts herein-after entered will be presented at an Orphans' Court for confirmation and allowance on Monday, March 4, A. D., 1918, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., of said day.

170. The first and final account of George A. Herring, Admr. of the estate of Mary C. Herring, late of Franklin township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

171. The first and final account of A. J. Smith, Admr. of the estate of Cecilia C. Smith, late of Mt. Pleasant township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

172. The first and final account of C. David McKendrick, Admr. of the estate of John McKendrick, late of Gettysburg borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

173. The first and final account of C. H. Basehaar, executor of the will of Amos Basehaar, late of Union township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

174. The first and final account of Harvey L. Tressler and Andrew A. Tressler, executors of Margaret Tressler, late of Liberty township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

175. The first and final account of J. E. Bair, Jr., executor of the last will and testament of John E. Bair, late of Littlestown borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

176. The first and final account of H. Jefferson Bream and Joseph A. Bream, executors of the will of Jacob Bream, late of Huntington township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

177. The first and final account of Barbara Ellen Bupp, executrix of the last will and testament of Jessie Bupp, late of the Borough of East Berlin, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

178. The first and final account of Maria E. Tyson and Edwin C. Tyson, executors of the last will and testament of Charles J. Tyson, late of Menallen township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

179. The first and final account of Geo. A. Sheely, T. J. Sheely and H. A. Sheely, three of the executors of the last will and testament of Joseph Sheely, late of Mt. Pleasant township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

180. The first and final account of Dr. T. C. Miller, executor of the last will and testament of Catharine Phillips, late of Abbottstown Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

C. W. GARDNER.
Register.**GIGANTIC SALE OF LIVE STOCK
THREE HUNDRED HEAD**

in one day regardless of cost or value

Friday, March 8, 1918, at 12 O'CLOCK

On my farm at Berkeley Bridge, Williamsport, Md., 10 minutes from Trolley Station; cars every 30 minutes from Hagerstown, Md.: 22 Percheron and Belgian Horses and Colts, 2 registered stallions, 2 and 4 years old, many fine brood mares from 1300 to 1600 lbs., in foal and otherwise; lot of big geldings, 5 and 6 years old, 1300 to 1600 lbs.; 20 Fresh Cows, springers, heifers and bulls, Jerseys, Holsteins and Angus; 160 Shropshire and Cotswold Sheep, including 60 fine yearling ewes, bred to registered Shropshire rams; 40 fat weaner lambs; 60 good ewes, 2 five years old, many with lambs by side. This will be the greatest sheep sale in the Valley this season and a great opportunity to buy exactly what you want at your own price. 100 Berkshire and Chester White Hogs, including 20 head of pure-bred and registered boars and sows, which will be sold as grades. Here is a chance to get the good blood for the price of the common stock. Also many hogs, sows, boars and fat hogs.

FRANK W. MISH.
Hagerstown, Md.
Anthony, Ward and Dodd, Aucts.**RECEIVER'S SALE
VALUABLE NEW OXFORD PROPERTY.**

ERTY.

On Saturday, March 2, 1918.

The undersigned, receiver of the New Oxford Pure Feed Company a corporation, in pursuance of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, sitting in equity, will sell at public sale on the premises the valuable business property of the New Oxford Pure Feed Company, a corporation, located in the Borough of New Oxford, Adams County, Pa., fronting on Baltimore street of said borough and bounded on the one side by land of John S. Weaver and on the other by twenty foot alley. In addition to the lot fronting on Baltimore street there are two lots in the rear containing 225 perches of land and forming one complete tract and most conveniently located for warehouse and manufacturing purposes with the Western Maryland railroad passing through the tract and with switchers on either side of the main tracks. Improved with large feed mill, the front part weatherboarded and brick back building brick engine and boiler room, office building for the coal and lumber business, wagon scales, coal and lumber yard, one siding for the mill and one coal trestle, stable, and two lumber sheds. The mill is equipped with 110 horse power boiler and 72 horse power engine, Putnam Engine Co., and all connecting apparatus, also equipped with a Lisk grinding and shredding mill, belting, castings, etc. The last use of the mill was the manufacture of feed. The property could not be better situated for any manufacturing purpose.

At the same time will be sold personal property, roll top desk, flat top desk, chair, stove and pipe, 2 scales, 2 trucks, shovels, bars, 100 lb. glutten and other articles.

Sale to begin at 2 o'clock P. M. The boiler and engine will be offered separately and with the buildings.

Terms will be made known on day of sale; possession can be had April 1st, 1918.

C. J. WEAVER.
Receiver.

G. W. WEAVER & SON

Dry Goods Department Store

Gettysburg, Penn'a.

THE fiscal year just closed (January 31, 1917) has shown us the greatest volume of business ever done in one year by any Dry Goods Store in Adams County, it being an increase of one-third over our own best year. This can, of course be attributed in part to the general prosperity of our community and the higher prices of the same bulk of goods, but we feel that this GREAT increase for us has been brought about in a greater measure by our large buying at a time before these greater price advances had gone fully in effect, and by giving our customers the benefit of our forethought. We have continued this practice of early contracts and purchases for our Spring business, having loaded up with thousands of dollars worth of staples, and stored them against these later price advances we know must come, and where styles and colors make for value we contracted for larger lots and lines months ago, to be shipped when styles were fixed, and these goods are coming in daily. We are showing the **LARGEST STOCK OF DRY GOODS** to be found anywhere outside the larger city stores, at prices in most every case less than the market of today.

A Beautiful Line of New



Gettysburg Compiler
Gettysburg, Pa.

W.M. ARCH. McCLEAN.....Editor

SATURDAY, MAR. 2, 1918

NO TIME
TO PLAY POLITICS.

A recent issue of the "York Gazette," the Democratic organ of York county, in the game of politics, contained an editorial, "No Room for Politics," in 1918. The thought of the editorial was along the line of the position of The Compiler in the matter of the coming congressional campaign, that this is a year for Americans and not partisans, that the work is to win the war and wholeheartedly support the President. All good true Democrats should be Americans first and that means in 1918 cutting out the wastefulness of politics, both of time and money, and standing back of the President to the last ditch, and that means further the renomination and re-election of Brodbeck without opposition. But to let the "Gazette" speak for itself, we quote the following:

There ought to be no parties during this war in the usual sense of the term. It is absolutely ridiculous that there should be Democrats and Republicans. There is room for only two different kind of people—those who believe in fighting the war through to a finish and those who will make peace at any price as it were. We don't believe that there are many of the latter kind of people. That would put the overwhelming majority in the first class, the class that wish to fight the war through to a finish. It makes no difference whether they be Democrats or Republicans, they belong together and ought not to be found fighting each other on such purely academic and foolish grounds that some are members of the Democratic and some members of the Republican party.

These persons can do no other than support the President, for he is carrying on the war. If they are true patriots, first, and something else second and third and fourth, they will support the President wholeheartedly, whether he is in accord with them in his ideas on the tariff question or whether he is not.

This is no time for petticoat politics. It is no time for political fights within or without political parties. For the duration of the war, political parties can serve their nation best by ceasing temporarily to exist, as such.

One can have little patience with partisans these days. Until the war is won men are either patriots, near patriots, slackers or traitors. We are Americans until Germany is definitely defeated. Until that time partisan politics can sleep. After the job is accomplished we can trot out our parties again and play politics to our hearts' content, but not until victory perches on our staff. We have a thousand times more important work to do in the meantime, all of us.

Are you fighting?

RED CROSS CANTEEN SERVICE

Over One Thousand Army Truck Boys Cared For.

The women of the Canteen Department of the Red Cross of Gettysburg have been doing a wonderful work in caring for the army boys of the motor truck trains, a service that is being made a special work of the Red Cross in this country and in France.

A dozen trains have been cared for to date, a total of over 1000 boys. Every train has stopped here and the boys jump off their cars now, saying this is just like going home. Trains were here Friday and Saturday of last week, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday of this week. A noon luncheon has been served the boys on all stops except last Saturday evening when they spent the night here comfortably quartered in the warm upstairs rooms of the Court House and on Saturday evening were given an old fashioned dinner of pork sauer kraut and mashed potatoes sandwiches, pickles and ice cream. All the meals have been served in the dining room at St. James, all the work has been done by the Red Cross women of the town and with our girls serving. Frequently the work has to be done in a hurry, on a half hour's or an hour's notice of approach of train and last Saturday notice of the coming train was not received until after two o'clock. Then follows a huddle to get the news around and get the supplies.

The Red Cross of the State and country at large are urging the importance of this work. The boys traveling through their own country need the cheer and help of the Canteen Department service. When they start on their two or three weeks journey eastward they carry rations and orders in emergency to extend

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PUBLIC SALE
On Thursday, March 14, 1918.

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale on the above day and date at his present residence in Cumberland town township, situated about three miles south of Gettysburg, along the Emmitsburg road, his entire lot of stock and farming implements, described as follows: **6 Head of Horses and Mules**, No. 1, bay mare 9 years old, good single line leader; No. 2, bay mare, 10 years old, good worker and driver; No. 3, bay mare, 13 years old, good single line leader; No. 4, brown mare, 14 years old, good worker and driver; Nos. 5 and 6, pair of mules, the one is a dark brown mule coming 4 years old, large and a good worker, the other is coming 3 years old, of good size and well broken; they will be sold as a pair or separately. **13 Head of Cattle**, 7 of this number are milk cows, 3 are heifers, 1 of which will be fresh in June. Three bulls: 2 stock bulls and a fat bull to be sold by the pound. **10 Shoots**, will weigh from 10 to 125 pounds apiece. **250 Laying Hens**, 75 of them are Barred Rock, 175 single comb White Leghorns. **Wagons and Farming Implements** consisting of 2 Studebaker wagons, 3 1/4 in spindles, 3 in tread, all complete, spring wagon, falling-top buggy, 2 sleighs, 1 is a Portland cutter made by Blocher, and the other is a basket sleigh, Cortland cart, 2 sets of hay carriages, 18 feet long, Deering binder, wheel under tongue, 17 ft. cut, as good as new, Osborne mower, 5 ft. cut, Osborne hay rake, 10 ft. wide, 3 long plows, 2 No. 20 Oliver, one is a Syracuse No. 50, 2 riding corn plows, the one a Hench, a Dromgold, the other an Albright, 2 spring harrows, 1 an Osborne 18 tooth lever harrow, the other an 18 tooth Perry harrow with wooden frame, Superior corn planter with all attachments, has only been used to plant 45 acres, Thompson grass seeder, 16 in. hopper, Spangler low down grain drill in good condition, grain fan, No. 3 Kemp manure spreader, 2 gas engines, Ottawa, 7 h.p. kerosene engine, mounted on truck, complete Quaker City feed mill and bagger, 20 in. circular saw and platform frame, grind-stone and frame, for hand or power, emery grinder for plow shears, Prairie State incubator, 250 egg capacity, as good as new, 2 portable brooder houses, 10x12 ft., 4 brooders as good as new, lot of feeders and fountains, No. 11 Fairbanks platform scales, grain bags, lot of forks, rakes, shovels, mattocks and picks, single, double and triple trees, log, butt, breast and cow chains. **Harness and Gears** consisting of 5 sets of cruppers, set of 3 in breechbands, 2 sets of single harness, set of double harness, 3 sets of check lines, 2 1/2 horse lines, 3 lead reins, single lines and hitching straps, 6 Yankee bridles and collars, lot of flynets, etc. **Blacksmith Tools**, Champion bellows, Champion drill press, 50 lb. vice, 120 lb. steel faced anvil, screw plates and dies, tongs, hammers, etc. **Household Goods**, double heater and pipe, complete stove wagon, small coal stove, hair cloth parlor suit of 7 pieces, 12 ft extension table, couch, rocking chair, cot, lot of carpet, matting and oil cloth, doughtray, four 50 lb. milk cans, bucket strainer, large sized Enterprise sausage stuffer, 30 gal. cooker, Waterloo Boy 1 1/2 h. p. engine, washing machine and wringer, in good order, hand washer, and many other articles not herein mentioned. Terms: No under bidding, every article will be sold. A credit of ten months will be allowed on sums amounting to \$5.00 and over to purchasers who give their notes with approved security. Four per cent. off for cash. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock a. m.

FOSTER BEARD.

Caldwell, Aunt
P. A. Miller, Clerk.

as much as 45 cents daily per man, and this only provided for one meal a day when used. As a sample day breakfast is had from their rations, coffee is bought for lunch and sandwiches from their own rations are made and the evening meal may be bought at a restaurant. In such a routine the Canteen Department of the Red Cross is a joy and blessing. Other plans are being worked out when weather permits and there will likely be regular stations for camping and parking trucks and getting meals. Until such plans are made and seasonable weather arrives the canteen service of the Red Cross is indispensable in the care and cheer of the boys.

The committee of Red Cross members forming the Canteen Department is comprised of the following: Mrs. M. E. Zinn, Mrs. Huber Miller, Mrs. Chas. Ziegler, Mrs. H. T. Weaver, Mrs. W. S. Schroeder, Mrs. S. McC. Swope, Mrs. Robert Caldwell, Mrs. Harry Weaver, Mrs. John A. Mumper, Mrs. Harry Bender, Mrs. Wm. Arch. McClean, Mrs. Wm. Hersh, Miss Emily Brinkerhoff, Miss Anna Reck, Miss Olivia McClean, Mrs. Harry Sanders, Mrs. Chas. Pictor, Mrs. Milton Remmel, Miss Kate Diel, Mrs. H. C. Picking, Miss Laura Spangler, Mrs. Chas. M. Hartman, Mrs. Chas. Gardner, Mrs. E. D. Markley, Mrs. C. S. Reaser, Mrs. Emory Plank, Mrs. Chas. Dougherty, Mrs. Allen Plank, Mrs. Ella Weaver, Mrs. Harry Cunningham, Mrs. John M. Blocher, Mrs. C. H. Huber, Mrs. Civic Stoer, Mrs. Chas. Stable, Mrs. F. Sanders, Miss Bess Baugher, Miss Bess Shields, and many others are volunteering and the committee has been divided into teams, about a dozen in charge each day. Besides those named there are twenty or more young women who help to serve the lunch. Mrs. Wm. Arch. McClean is chairman of the committee and Mrs. M. E. Zinn, treasurer. Mrs. Wm. Winkler and Mrs. W. Gardner have been caring for the kitchen.

Test Every Ear of Seed Corn.
The seed corn situation is a very critical one this year. Reports from all over the country indicate a very small percentage of corn will be fit for seed, and conditions in this country are not much better than other sections of the country. The poor germinating powers of seed corn this

year are due to three factors: First, the early frost last fall which cut down the corn before it was properly matured. Second: the rainy weather which prevailed throughout the husking season, so that the corn did not lose any of its moisture while in the shock before it was put into the crib. Third: the extreme cold weather which we experienced in the fall froze the corn and did not allow it to dry out.

Seed corn that has been thoroughly dried and in which the moisture contents is not high will stand very low temperature without having the germs injured. This was not the case with this year's corn, as even at the present time much corn is not thoroughly dry. Germination tests have been run at State College of corn from all over the State of Pennsylvania, 124 samples of crib corn taken from eleven different counties germinated on the average of only 58 1/3 per cent. Out of every 100 kernels tested only 58 of these would have grown in field conditions. The average germination of 15 samples of crib corn from Lancaster county which has about the same season as this county was only 60 per cent. Tests made in different sections of this county show that the conditions are the same here.

The Farm Bureau ran a test on a lot of seed corn from the vicinity of Bendersville, which had received more than ordinary care. The seed was selected last fall at husking time and was stored in a place that was well ventilated. By the appearance of the corn it would have germinated properly and in selecting ears for the test all these which looked as if they might not germinate were discarded. In all, 310 ears were tested and 190 of these ears were discarded as not being fit for seed. Many of the grains sprouted very weakly and many of the ears were totally dead. The seed corn situation is serious and many of the farmers will only find it out after their corn is planted. Why not test every ear now and be certain of your seed? The Adams County Farm Bureau will gladly give any information on the testing of seed corn.

Those who have corn which they think might be available for seed may select samples of 25 ears from the crib and take six grains from each ear, two from near the end, two from the middle and two from near the tip from opposite sides of the ear. Mail the corn to H. F. Hershey, County Agent, Gettysburg, and it will be sent away for a germination test. Seed corn will be high in price this spring and scarce and this may be the means of locating corn throughout the county which will be available for seed purposes.

MARRIAGES.

Miller — Richards. — On Tuesday, Feb. 19, at the Bellevue-Stratford, Philadelphia, Miss. Claire Richards, of Orange, N. J., and Lieut. M. Valentine Miller, of the Medical Corps, National Army, were married by the bridegroom's father, Dr. Edgar Grimmon Miller, of Columbia, Lieut. Miller is a grandson of Mrs. M. Valentine, of Spring Avenue, and a graduate of Gettysburg College. He has many friends here.

Myers—Chronister. — Miss Iva M. Chronister, daughter of Jonas Chronister, of Hampton, and John Myers, of East Berlin, were married last Saturday evening by Rev. L. S. Ditzler.

PUBLIC SALE

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE
AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

On Wednesday, March 13, 1918.

The undersigned administrator of the estate of Wm. J. Eckenerode, late of Cumberland township, Adams Co., will offer at public sale on the farm situated on the State Highway between Gettysburg and Littlestown, about 2 1/2 miles from the former place, subject to the approval and confirmation of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, the following real estate:

A Tract of Land situate in Cumberland and Mt. Joy townships, Adams county, Pa., beginning at a point in Rock Creek, adjoining lands of Chas. Newman, formerly heirs of John Trostle, Frank Arentz, Geo. Schwartz, Mr. Stouffer, and containing 115 acres and 9 perches. This said tract is improved with a two and a half story stone dwelling house, a bank barn, a spring of water at the creek and a well of water at the house, plenty of fine choice fruit trees, and all the usual out-buildings.

Also at the same time and place the undersigned will offer the following personal property, survey, shovels, forks, etc., harness, 2 buggies, sleigh, spring wagon, land roller, 2 plows, 3 harrows, shovel plow, sulky plow, ear corn by the bushel measure, wheelbarrow, grindstone, hay ladders, hay rake, binder, wagon, chopping mill, lot of hay, lot of corn fodder, cutting box, hay fork, and rope, forks and rakes, black mare, bay mare, gray mare, 1 bull, growing wheat in the ground and numerous other articles.

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock M., when terms and conditions will be made known by

MARY CATHERINE ECKENRODE
Admrx.
Geo. L. Myers, Auct.
Also at the same time and place the undersigned will offer the following household furniture and personal property:

Two beds, crib, cradle, baby coach, 2 sinks, corner cupboard, lot of chairs, meat grinder and stuffing screen doors, churn, 2 gal. ice cream freezer, milk cans. Gravity cream separator, washing machine, lawn sowing evaporator, large meat bench, iron kettle, copper kettle, egg store, lot broomcorn, 20 yards broomcorn ears, net, two in gal. jars, lot vinegar, potatoes by the bushel, about 150 chickens, 10 turkeys, chicken coops, 3 stills, about 75 bus. corn by measure, 1 mower, 2 Holstein heifers, 1 year old, 8 hogs, 6 pigs, red cow, will have her 5th calf about May, 1 red cow, red heifer fresh about May, 1 white cow, first calf, bay mare 4 years old, good worker and driver, and numerous other articles not mentioned.

MARY CATHERINE ECKENRODE
Gettysburg R. R. No. 1.

Germinating powers of seed corn this

Sowers—Slothrop. — Chas. E. Sowers, of Hanover, and Mrs. Cora E. Slothrop, of near Abbottstown, were married at the Lutheran parsonage in Abbottstown, on last Thursday evening by Rev. F. C. Sternat. They will reside at the home of the bride, near Abbottstown.

Diehl—Knab. — Miss Helen L. Knab, daughter of Geo. Knab, of Philadelphia, formerly of the Mt. Pleasant Fruit Farm, near New Oxford, and David C. Diehl, of Philadelphia, son of Daniel M. Diehl, of Mt. Pleasant township, were married February 5, in St. Gregory's Catholic Church, Philadelphia. A reception was held at the home of the bride after which the young couple left for the sea-shore to spend their honeymoon. They will reside in Philadelphia.

PUBLIC SALE

On Thursday, March 7, 1918.

The undersigned, having sold his farm, will sell at public sale at his residence in Hamiltonian township, Adams county, Pa., 2 miles southwest of Fairfield, between the Emmitsburg road and State Highway, all his stock and farming implements consisting of **2 Head of Horses and Mules**. No. 1, bay mare coming 11 years old, good leader, saddle mare, with foal to Belgian horse; No. 2, bay mare coming 9 years old, good leader, and work wherever hitched, with foal to Allison's jact; No. 3, bay mare coming 4 years old, good off-side worker; Nos. 4 and 5, pair of bay horses colts coming 3 years old, off-side workers; these colts are good heavy draft horses; Nos. 6 and 7, pair of black mules coming 9 years old; these mules are good size weighing about 1150 lbs., and good workers; No. 8, black Belgian horse colt coming 2 years old, bred from Twinning's Belgian stallion; No. 9, black mare mule coming 1 year old, good size and will make a good mule. **9 Head of Cattle**, consisting of 5 milk cows, some will be fresh by day of sale, the balance summer and fall cows; 1 red Durham heifer will be fresh in June, 1 fat steer will weigh about 600 lbs., 2 high grade Guernsey bulls fit for service; **30 Head of Hogs**, consisting of 5 brood sows, 2 purchased Yorkshire sows, one will have pigs by time of sale, the other in May, 2 cross-bred Yorkshire sows, 1 will have pigs by April 1st, the other in May; these sows are carrying their second litter; 1 Poland China sow with pigs by her side; these sows are all with pig to my purebred Yorkshire boar; 2 Yorkshire boars, 1 2 years old and the other fit for service; 6 Yorkshire sow pigs, will weigh 100 lbs., eligible to registry, 17 head of shoats from 80 to 100 lbs. **75 Laying Hens**. **Farming Implements**, consisting of 1 1/2 or 6 horse wagon, 4 in. tread, and home-made bed, will hold 100 bus. corn, both good as new, 1 Fish Bros. wagon, 4 in. tread, capacity 6000 lbs., with home-made bed, holds about 75 bus. with cross bottom, 1 light home-made 2 horse wagon with bed, in good condition, 1 heavy spring wagon, in good order, New Idea manure spreader, only used 1 year, 7 ft. cut McCormick binder, only used 1 season, cut about 40 acres grain, left hand cut, Deering mower, 5 ft. cut, in good running order, 9 ft. Johnston hay rake, 8 fork International hay tedder, 2 Pennsylvania low down grain drills, the other has never been used. New Holland chopping mill, 10 in. bush, 1. H. C. 2-row corn planter, good as new, Superior single row corn planter, good as new set of hay carriages 20 ft. long, barrel racks, will hold from 40 to 50 barrels or 125 bus. loose apples, Pennsylvania riding cultivator, 2 Pennsylvania walking cultivators, 1 parallel beam spring break, only used 1 season, and a pin break in good order, 2 3 shovel cultivators, 2 double shovel plows, 3 long beam plows, 1 No. 84-88 Oliver chilled plow, 1 No. 501 Syracuse 3 horse plow, wood plow, 1 No. 361 steel beam Syracuse plow, 1 23 tooth Penna. sliding frame 3 section lever harrow, 1 17 tooth Johnston lever harrow, 1 17 tooth Perry harrow, 11 disc, Superior Disc harrow, land roller, Gould's barrel sprayer with 20 ft. hose, 9 ft. extension rod and nozzles, Eureka windmill in good order, cutting box, Eclipse corn sheller, grindstone, dinner bell, lot of 2, 3, and 4 horse trees, single, trees, jockey sticks, middle rings, butt traces, breast chains, cow chains, log chains, rough locks, block and tackle with 100 ft. inch rope, picks, shovels, manure sled, stable hook, good 2 horse sled with iron soles, heavy spring wagon pole, good buggy pole, 6 ft. cross-cut saw, good as new, 4 ladders, 2 25 ft., and 2 16 ft. long, lot of tree trimmers, **Lot of Harness**, consisting of 2 sets of breechbands, 3 1/2 in. good as new, 7 sets front gears, some good as new, set of double buggy harness, set of heavy double harness, set orchard harness, set buggy harness, wagon saddle, 10 heavy work boards, 10 collars, 4 sets fly-nets, 3 sets check lines, 6 horse lines, 2 plow lines, 3 lead reins, hitching straps, 10 halters and chains, 3 good housings, 400 bus. ear corn, 50 bu. good seed oats. **Household Goods**, consisting of No. 8 Excelsior Penn cook stove and pipe, old style bureau, 2 bedsteads, desk, 5 kitchen chairs, 2 cane bottom chairs, gravity cream separator, 1 gal. capacity, churn and stand, butter bowl and ladle, pound butter print, 2 large milk cans, lot of gal. crocks, 2 egg crates, water cooler, lot of dishes, china and glassware, frying and bake pans, 3 sad irons, apple butter by the crock, meat and lard by the pound, potatoes by the bushel, and many articles too numerous to mention.

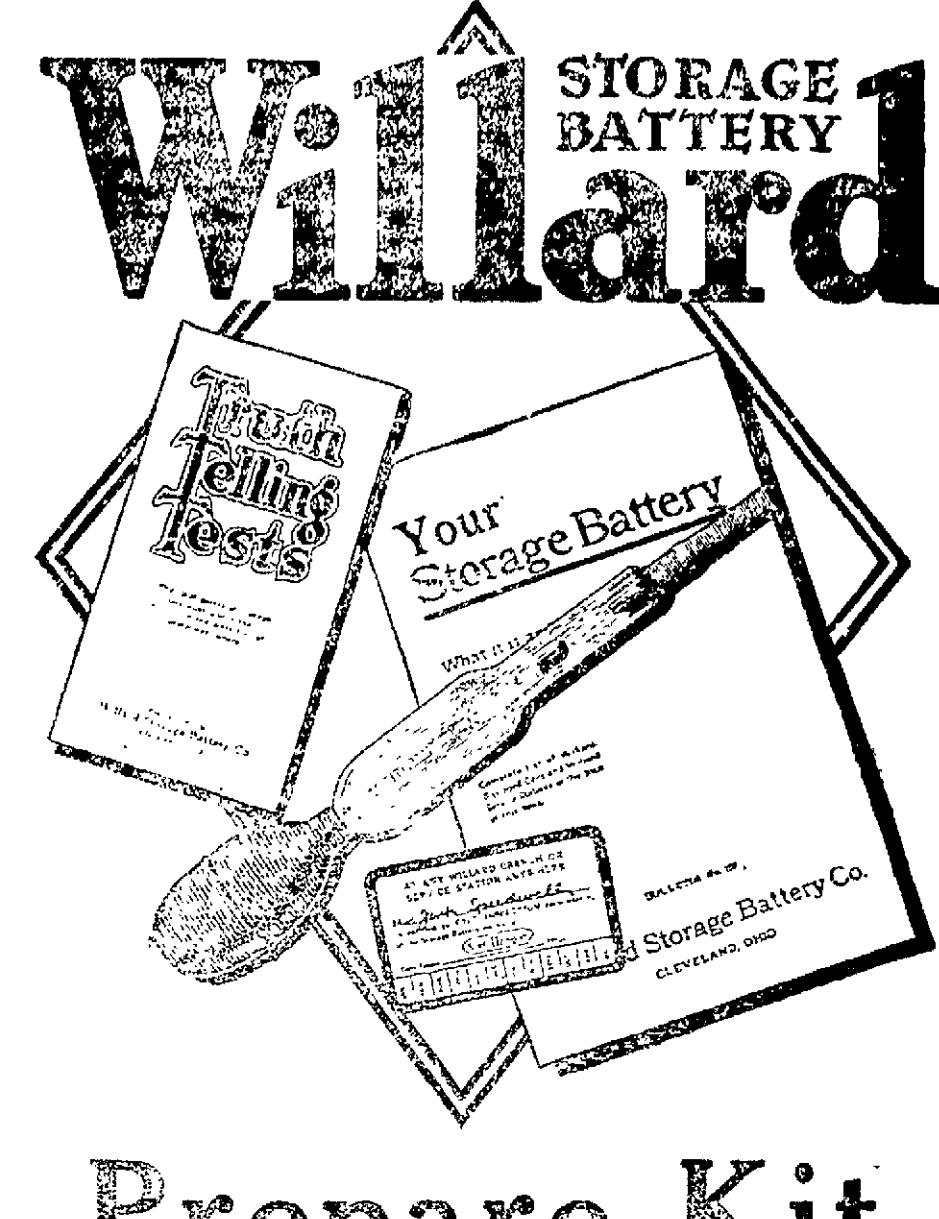
I will also offer my Frick Threshing Rig consisting of 1 8 x 10 traction engine, 10 h. p. boiler with 3 water tanks, 1 27-42 Landis Eclipse separator and water wagon; this machinery in good shape. Also 1 No. 20 Hocking Valley ensilage cutter 13 in., used two seasons, 1 16 ft. 6 in. 4 pl. Gaynor thresher belt, only used 10 days, 1 120 ft. thresher belt. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock sharp at which time terms and conditions will be made known by

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Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Kate McCrary, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned and all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form to WM. ARCH. McCLEAN, Executor, Gettysburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of H. A. Underwood, deceased, late of the Borough of York Springs, County of Adams, State of Pennsylvania. Letters of administration on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to

H. A. CLINE,
Administrator,
Gardners, Pa.Or his Atty.,
Wm. Arch. McClean, Esq.,
Gettysburg, Pa.**RECEIVER'S NOTICE.**

In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, In equity.

C. J. Weamer having been appointed receiver of the New Oxford Pure Feed Company on December 15, 1917, with order directing all property of said corporation to be turned over to him and restraining interference, hereby gives notice to all creditors of the above corporation to immediately file a statement and proof of their claims with the undersigned receiver.

C. J. WEAMER.
Receiver.
New Oxford, Pa., Dec. 19, 1917.**ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE**

Letters of administration on the estate of Rebecca Cooley, late of Bendersville, Borough, Adams County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated.

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Building, Centre Square.**GREAT DAM IN ANTIPODES**New South Wales Structure Has
Catchment Area of 5,000
Square Miles.

The first large scheme for water conservation purposes in New South Wales is now nearing completion, says a Canadian department of commerce report. "Burinjuck Dam, as it is named, is being constructed of earth, of which 50,000 tons—manufactured in New South Wales—has been used up to date. The dam is being placed in a narrow, rock gorge between hills 2,000 feet high. It will hold up the Murrumbidgee river for 41 miles and the Goondabidgbee and Yass rivers for 15 and 25 miles, respectively. All these rivers were subject to floods and running dry previously, but now a constant supply is assured.

The catchment area is 5,000 square miles in extent, and some of the peaks in the mountain ranges are 5,000 feet high and are covered with snow in the winter. The average rainfall is 60 to 70 inches.

The dam will be 240 feet high and 168 feet thick at the base, tapering to 18 feet thick at the top. The length across at the crest will be 780 feet. The water will be allowed to reach a top storage level of 232 feet against the dam, and it will be possible to store 33,350,000,000 gallons of water.

Although the dam is not yet finished, the water has been used extensively for some time at the main area for which it was principally intended and which is known as the Yanco area. This area is situated 200 miles away from the dam, and the water finds its way there by the old bed of the Murrumbidgee river. Many of the farms are now occupied, and it is estimated that when the areas are fully settled there will be about 7,000 farms and the population will be about 100,000. Government assistance to settlers is being very liberally given. Almost any kind of fruit may be grown on the farms. Dairying, mixed farming and ostrich raising are successfully carried on at present.

PEAT AS COAL SUBSTITUTE

Coming Much Into Favor in European Countries Where Fuel Supply Is Limited.

Europeans, paying unusually high prices for coal, are turning to peat as a substitute. Germany has been Sweden's principal source of supply, and that source being cut off the state railways in that country have been forced to curtail their schedules.

Peat is notoriously one of the cheapest—as it is one of the most abundant of fuels. Lack of suitable furnaces for its combustion has impeded its use as it did for a long time due to the crude oil from the American petroleum fields. Recent experiments in Sweden have proved that peat can be made into coke and used with economy in a proper furnace.

A Maine man is going to

cure patents for turning peat into briquettes which would produce a heat as intense as that of charcoal and could be produced as cheaply as bituminous coal, while the by-products of manufacture would further reduce the cost. The great advantage of the fuel thus produced is that it burns with little ash or smoke, that it is clean to handle and can be used in a stove or furnace about as wood is.

There are extensive peat beds all over New England, and if this process were put in operation the saving in freight rates would make the peat briquettes an economical form of fuel.

Big Profit in Onions.

Roman Skivicki of Sunderland continues to be favored of fortune or by his own foresight. He held on to his onions when all his wise Yankee friends said "sell," and has got the highest price on record, \$7 a bag of 100 pounds. When the price got up to \$3 his Yankee friends dropped in and told Roman that it was dangerous to hold on any longer, and they repeated the warnings at \$4, \$5 and \$6, but still Roman kept some of them till the last. If there is any last when crops are going up on a crop failure. Roman made a net profit of \$7,000 on his onions in 1901, and he must have done much better than that this year.—Northampton Gazette.

When Courage Failed.

The family was having guests to dinner, and six-year-old Edward had his supper alone and was sent to bed somewhat earlier than usual. The appetizing aroma of roast turkey, in which he had not shared, reached him as he lay awake, pondering over his hard fate, and he decided to descend to the dining room and claim his rights.

But when father, beholding the small figure at the door, demanded sternly: "Well, sir, what do you want?" Edward's courage fell, and he answered, apologetically: "I just came to see if you would lend me a bone when you're through with it"—Topeka State Journal.

Impressionability.
"Do you read the war news regularly?"

"No," replied the excitable man. "When I read one day's war news I get so nervous I have to skip the next day's."

Chinese Canals.

At what period the Chinese began to dig canals, there is no authentic record to prove. Sometimes it seems as if it were thousands of years ago, always have had canals and other works, so we have long been familiar to us, and so well established that they have been as a part of the country as the men from the Orient first visited it. One thinks of the Grand Canal of China and the Great Wall of China together, although, of course, they have nothing whatever to do with each other, except that they are both ancient and remarkable works of the Chinese people.

Only He Didn't Show It.

Stanley went into a fight with Stan Lee, the Romeo at school recess. The teacher called them up before her and talked to them feelingly of the wrong of fighting that Stanley cried good and hard, and the teacher said: "Stanley seems so repentant I won't keep him after school. But here is Edward; I don't know what to do with him, he seems so hardened." Edward said: "But if I can't cry, my conscience hurts me just the same."

CAME FROM DAMAGED STOCK

Idea of Blotting Paper Was the Direct Result of Careless Workman.

Blotting paper, like many another valuable discovery, was found entirely by accident. One day in a paper mill in Berkshire, England, a careless workman forgot to put in the sizing and it was necessary to throw out the entire lot as spoiled. Later the angry proprietor sat down to write a note and possibly for reasons of economy used a sheet of the condemned paper. To his increased annoyance the ink spread all over the paper and he was about to give up in disgust when the thought struck him that it might be possible to use the paper for absorbing ink in place of the sand then usually used. After some successful experiments he was able to dispose of the entire damaged stock under the name of blotting paper.

From that time on blotting paper came into general use. At first it was always pink in color, red rags were used. Red was a fast color and difficult to bleach, hence the red rags were useless in manufacturing writing paper. But as the color of blotting paper did not interfere with its usefulness, red or pink was as good as any other, and thus provided a means of utilizing otherwise wasted material.

Natural Mortar Beds.

Who invented mortar? Some prehistoric person, who in all likelihood hit upon the combination by sheer luck. The mortar used by the ancient Greeks and Romans was the same stuff that we use.

But nature was in advance of the human discoverer by some millions of years. In Texas and Kansas, extending over vast areas, is a geological formation known in that region as the "mortar beds." It is a stratum composed of sand, clay and lime, which originally fluid has "set" and become rock.

The process by which the sedimentary rocks of the earth were formed is successfully imitated in the sidewalk pavement of artificial stone, which is spread in a moist condition and allowed to dry. It is better for the purpose than natural stone—made in slabs larger than can be quarried and often formed with grooves so as to expand and contract without breaking.

The King of the Pollywogs has a Rude Awakening.

